

WATS LINE REPORT  
FEBRUARY 29, 1964  
STATE OF MISSISSIPPI

RULEVILLE (EMMA BELLE)  
TAKEN BY BOLTON

THERE IS A WOMAN IN RULEVILLE, BY THE NAME OF MRS. MAGGIE SPEARMAN. MRS. SPEARMAN IS 47 YEARS OF AGE AND HAS SIX CHILDREN. AT THE PRESENT TIME SHE IS LIVING ON THE PLANTATION OF SYDNE LIVIN STON. MRS. SPEARMAN WENT DOWN TO THE REGISTRARS' OFFICE AND FILLED OUT AN APPLICATION. UPON HEARING OF THIS MR. LIVINGSTON TOLD MRS. SPEARMAN THAT HE WASN'T GOING TO HAVE HIS PEOPLE(WORKERS) DOING THIS. HE DIDN'T WANT THEM HANGING AROUND WITH MRS. FANNIE LOU HAMER, BECAUSE SHE WAS NOTHING BUT A TROUBLE MAKER. AS OF DATE, HE HASN'T ASKED HER TO MOVE OFF OF HIS PROPERTY BUT HE ????? DID TELL HER TO GO DOWN AND TAKE HER NAME OFF OF THE APPLICATION. MRS. HAMER HAS ASKED MRS. SPEARMAN NOT TO DO THAT (TAKE HER NAME OFF ????? THE APPLICATION) IF MRS. SPEARMAN IS ASKED TO MOVE???? TODAY, SHE CAN STAY WITH MRS. HAMER. MRS. HAMER AND MRS. SPEARMAN WANTS TO KNOW WHAT KIND OF AID WE CAN GIVE HER IF SHE DOES HAVE TO MOVE (SHE IS NOT GOING TO REMOVE HER NAME FROM THE APPLICATION).

HICKELIAN (CLIFF VAUGHN)  
TAKEN BY BOLTON

CLIFF WAS REFUSED SERVICE IN THE BUS STATION THERE ON FEB 27, 1964. HE WAS FORCED FROM THE STATION BY LOCAL CITIZENS BEFORE BEING FORCED FROM THE STATION HE QUOTED THE ICC LAW TO THE ACTING MANAGER, (SHE STILL REFUSED SERVICE) CLIFF WANTS US TO CALL J.B. MISSISSIPPI IS THE ONLY STATE THAT STILL REFUSES TO ABIDE BY THE ICC LAW.

CANTON (EMMA BELL)  
TAKEN BY BOLTON  
CHECK JERRY DETHUR'S REPORT FOR FEB 28, 1964

HILTON WAS AT THE FREEDOM HOUSE TODAY AND WAS ARRESTED AND IS ABOUT TO BE SENT TO OAKLY

50 PEOPLE WENT TO REGISTER TODAY

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HATTIESBURG (EMMA BELL)  
25 STUDENTS WERE ON THE PICKET LINES IN FEB 2 FOREST COUNTY POLICE CHIEF HERMAN CAME UP TO THE COURT HOUSE AND STAYED FOR ABOUT 15 MIN., HE THEN WENT OVER AND TALKED WITH ABOUT FIVE OR SIX POLICEMEN AND THEN CAME BACK OVER TO THE PEOPLE (STUDENTS) AND TOLD THEM THAT THEY WOULD HAVE TO LEAVE OR BE ARRESTED. HE ALSO INSTRUCTED ALL STUDENTS UNDER 18 TO LEAVE THE LINE OR BE ARRESTED. CHARLIE COBB CALLED THE POLICE STATION TO GET FURTHER INFO. BUT SHERIFF HERMAN WOULD NOT GIVE CHARLIE ANY INFO. SHERIFF HERMAN ALSO ASKED CHARLIE IF HE WAS CALLING FROM 507 or 522 MOBILE STREET CHARLIE SAID NO AND SHERIFF HERMAN HUNG UP

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THAT'S ALL FOR NOW MORE NEXT TIME (SEE YOU LATER)